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Mr. Richard Helms  
Deputy Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Helms:

I wish to thank you for the information you have provided on shipping to Cambodia and your assessments on the possibility that the Viet Cong use the Cambodian import trade as a source of supplies.

I have also noted reports which indicate that a number of additional sources of information are being developed or are planned.

It is hoped that these additional sources will be able to provide the definitive information we need on VC support in a form that will permit a conclusive judgement on the degree of support received thru Cambodia.

In this connection, I hope you will continue to keep us fully informed on the status of your programs and any results therefrom.

Sincerely,

*Wallace M. Greene, Jr.*  
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General, U.S. Marine Corps  
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